IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY
APPELLATE SIDE CIVIL JURISDICTION

WRIT PETITION NO.79 OF 2007

K.N.Mehta and ors. ..Petitioners.
Vs.
Special Land
Acquisition Officer and ors. ..Respondents.

Mr. Kunal Damle i/by V.P.Shintre and D.G.Damle for the petitioners.

Ms. S.S.Bhande, AGP. for the Respondent Nos.1 to 3.

CORAM: S.B. MHASE &
R.S. MOHITE, JJ.
DATE : 16th April, 2007

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1. The land of the petitioners was acquired and allotted to the respondent No.4. Now the land is not being utilized for the purpose for which it was granted and hence, the petitioners claim for return of the land. It is well settled that once the land is acquired, it vests in the Government as well as to whom the land is allotted. There is no existing and substantial right to reclaim the land. Petition is without any merits. Hence, petition is rejected.

(R.S. MOHITE, J.) **(S.B. MHASE, J.)**